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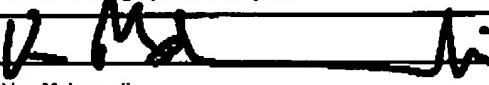
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Application Number	10/898,153
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First Named Inventor	LUNSFORD, et al.
Examiner Name	Paul R. MYERS
Art Unit	2112
Attorney Docket No.	PALM-0933

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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Multiple dependent claims

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In re LUNSFORD, et al.

Examiner: MYERS, Paul R.

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Respectfully submitted,

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